Troopers Investigating Shots Fired Incident — New Castle



New Castle - The Delaware State Police are investigating a shots fired incident that took place late Thursday night.

The incident occurred at approximately 11:08 p.m., Thursday, October 4, 2018 in the 200 block of Christiana Rd. (DE Rt. 273), New Castle. A 26 year old New Castle man who was on foot in the area, was approached by two subjects on a motorcycle. One of the subjects stated to the male victim "where's my money". Immediately after making that statement one of the subjects produced a hand gun, at which time the victim began to run away. As he was running he heard a single gunshot, however he was not struck and was able to escape to a nearby residence at which time he called 911.

The victim was not familiar with the suspects and could not provide a description of them or the motorcycle.

Investigation of the crime scene did produce a 9mm shell casing.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Detective G. Biddle of the Troop 2 Major Crimes Unit at 302-365-8475.

Information may also be provided by calling Delaware crime stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of crime or

have lost a loved one to a sudden death and are in need of assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll free hotline 1800 VICTIM-1. (1800 842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at debra.reed@delaware.gov.

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